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Mr. M<sup>c</sup>kinley Dear Sir

I am refering to that outrage in north Carolina I think it is a very bad way in which the colord people is treated they have got any privilege at all and no protection and if he makes an affort to protect him self he is thrust in prison. They are citizens of the untinted states. but they are less thought of than the lowest forghener. he is never on equality With the white man untill time of war then he is the black brother and after that if he is arrested for an afence if he is guilty or not he is taken out of prison with out a fare trial and linched Now this is called a civilized coutry and this kind of doings is civilized I would not like to go to one that is not. for this is bad enough and another thing this is the only country that does this lynching any way. it is not the color that makes the man but the pricible and I know that thair is Just God in heaven and if the laws of the land and the government cant put a stop to it God will. for it is an outrage the way the colord people is dealt with in this country and evry thing is a gainst the colord people I am very sorry to say. I think if it is in your power to stop it thair aught to be a stop put to it rite away. for if colord men orginize and begin fight the white men and kill and shoot thair will soon be found out away to stop all of the fuss. you would soon see. I cant see why thair is so much difference made in the two races for thair is colord people in every state Just as cable of holding office as the white is.

I do not me no harm but I am only wrighting what I think and expressing my feelings. they make difference here but can not make any in heaven.

I now Close.  
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